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Title

: BUBBLE CYCLING HEAT

EXCHANGER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Preliminary Amendment for the above-referenced patent application being filed concurrently with this Preliminary Amendment which is a Divisional of Parent Serial No. 09/477,284, filed on 4 January 2000. Please amend the abovereferenced patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 2-7 and 9-32, and 44-46 without prejudice and without disclaiming any of the subject matter contained therein.

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Remarks

This is a Divisional Patent Application based upon Parent Application Serial No. 09/477,284, filed at the USPTO on 4 January 2000. This patent application is directed to the embodiments shown in Figs. 9A-9B and the claims chosen for prosecution are Claims 1, 8 and 33-43. Thus, Claims 2-7 and 9-32 and 44-46 have been canceled from this case.

It is now believed that the subject patent application has been placed in condition for examination and such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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